IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

IN RE: BAIR HUGGER FORCED AIR WARMING PRODUCT LIABILITY

LITIGATION

This Document Relates To:

TERESA JORDAN,

Plaintiff,

Civil Action No.: 17-CV-01968-JNE-FLN

MDL No.: 15-md-02666 (JNE/FLN)

DECLARATION OF SAMANTHA RODRIGUEZ IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S RESPONSE TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS

- I, Samantha Rodriguez, declare as follows:
- 1. I am an attorney at Kennedy Hodges, LLP and Counsel for Plaintiff Teresa Jordan in the above-captioned matter.
- 2. I submit this affidavit in opposition to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss for Failure to Comply with Pretrial Order No. 14 [Dkt. 1189] filed on April 5, 2018.
- 3. Ms. Jordan contacted Kennedy Hodges, LLP in June of 2015 regarding injuries that were allegedly caused by the Bair Hugger patient warming device.
- 4. Medical records and billing records pertaining to Ms. Jordan's treatment were obtained by Kennedy Hodges through its third party medical records retrieval company. Those records indicated that a Bair Hugger device was used during her initial orthopedic surgery.

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5. This case was filed on June 8, 2017 to comply with the statute of limitations

deadline.

6. Phone calls were placed and letters were sent to Ms. Jordan by staff at Kennedy

Hodges in an attempt to reach her and obtain information to complete the Plaintiff

Fact Sheet. These communication attempts were made between June 2017 and

March 2018, prior to and continuing after the original deadline for submission of

the Plaintiff Fact Sheet.

7. To date, Kennedy Hodges has not received a response to these phone calls and

letters in order to provide the information necessary to complete the Plaintiff Fact

Sheet.

8. As we have been unable to obtain the additional information necessary to complete

the Plaintiff Fact Sheet for this claim, we have not been able to cure the alleged

deficiencies pertaining to the Plaintiff Fact Sheet that has been submitted for this

case.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746(2), I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing

is true and correct.

April 12, 2018

/s/ Samantha Rodriguez

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